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SECOND NUMBER LYCEUM COURSE

Arthur Walywyn Evans Gives Lecture
On "The Lords of the Land."
Thursday, December 2.

"The Lords of the Land," was the subject of the lecture delivered by Dr. Arthur Walywyn Evans at the Methodist church on the evening of Dec. 2.

"In all the countries in which I have traveled," said Mr. Evans, "there is the one great struggle between the two classes of people, the democracy and the aristocracy. The biggest fight in all the world is the contest between the aristocratic and bluebloods and the democratic redbloods.

"I came from a line of respectable Welsh farmers," said Mr. Evans, "but my grandfather was driven from the land in which he was born by an English lord because he refused to vote for this lord for parliament." Dr. Evans gave many illustrations showing the existing state of servility of the poorer people of the British Empire.

Mr. Evans paid tribute to the United States of America as the champion of liberty. But America need not boast of its democratic constitution and Declaration of Independence until it has rid itself of the aristocracy of wealth. The cry of the American people today is money — more money — and all thought of law and justice is set aside to realize the one supreme goal—wealth.

"Within twenty years," said Mr. Evans, England will be most truly a people "of the people, by the people, and for the people." This is to be seen in the present upheaval of democratic sentiment.

Although a Britisher, Dr. Evans bears no great hatred toward the people of Germany. "I have become too broad to allow even such a horrible war as this to blind me to the worth of Germany to the world and what her people have done. But that doesn't keep me from hating the Kaiser and the Hohenzollerns and the spirit of Persian

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NEW TERM BEGINS.

Examinations are over, classification and registration completed and the new term fairly begun. There is little contrast to last term excepting the increase in the number of students, some changes of classes, and a particularly pleasant and care-free expression upon the faces of a group of students. This may be explained by the fact that their places in the Training School are being occupied by some of their fellow students. It is amusing to note the

DR. BAGLEY HERE.

Dr. W. C. Bagley, dean of the School of Education of the University of Illinois, spent the week of December 6-10, visiting the Normal School, in the interest of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Dr. Bagley addressed the students in assembly Thursday morning.

"Teaching is the noblest of professions and the sorriest of trades," said Dr. Bagley. For the person who enters his work with a great joy, the profes-

STAR WORKERS IN BASKETBALL

Normal Boosters' Hopes Rise — A Preliminary Game Monday Night, December 20.

Strenuous basketball practice still continues, despite the fact that several of the first squad have been unable to take part in active practice on account of bad colds. The hopes of the Normal boosters have ascended several degrees of late. This has been due to the fact that Walter Scott, stellar guard of last year's famous aggregation has again returned to school, and has taken upon his sturdy shoulders the responsibility of a patriotic sentry. Equally pleasing comes the report that Howard Leech, forward extraordinary, has decided to play again this season. With "Scotty" and "Hickory" numbered among the select ones, the first squad stands complete. Fred Vander-sloot has left for about a month's visit to San Francisco and other western points. However, he will return about January 1, in time to take part in the conference games.

A preliminary game, either with the Gard's

Business College of St. Joseph or the St. Joseph Y. M. C. A., will be played on the local court, Monday, December 20. The following players will start the game at that time:

Howard Leech and Omar Lyle, forwards; Lee Scarlett, center; Homer and Walter Scott, guards.

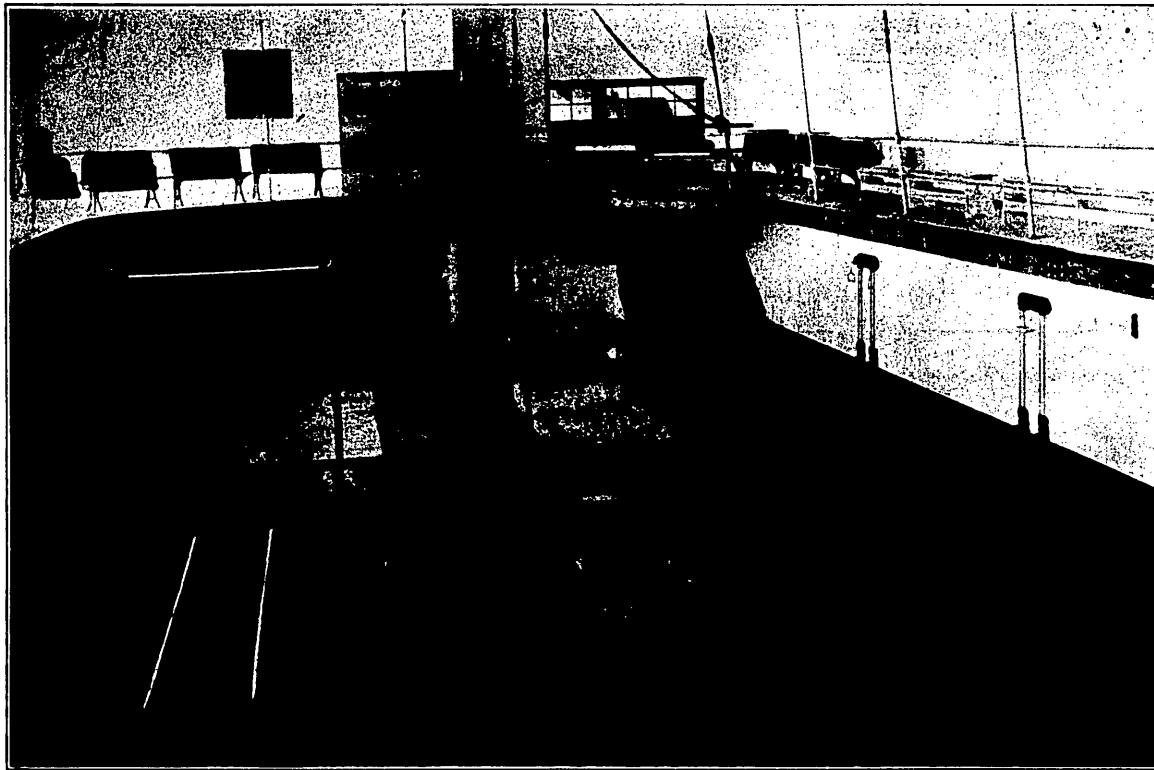
During the course of the game, every member of the first squad will be given a chance to show just what he can do.

Coach Hanson has received a letter from Coach Brewer of Missouri, in which the latter says that he believes it will be possible to make arrangements whereby Maryville will play the University five at Columbia, January 6. This game will be played on the same road trip, as when the Normal opens at Central, Fayette, January 7.

The first squad will be requested to

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ONE OF THE TWO LARGE GYMNASIUMS.



long faces and dignified bearing of the latter group.

Much enthusiasm is manifested on the part of both the faculty and student body, and indications are favorable for one of the most successful terms in the history of the school.

First, the enrollment surpasses all records for any previous winter quarter. The basketball squad is doing some strenuous practicing, and rumor has it that they will win the pennant. The Literary Societies and Christian Associations are striving to surpass all previous records.

It should be the aim of every student to do his part to make the winter quarter of 1915-16, what it should be. We can only do this by doing our best to accomplish every task that is assigned to us. Let us enter into all the activities of the school, both work

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sion of teaching is a unique and distinctive type of public service. The person who works with his eye on the clock and his mind upon pay-day is the one spoken of in the epigram of Bernard Shaw, "Those who can, do; those who cannot, teach."

Prof. Palmer, head of the department of Mental Philosophy, Harvard University, says, "Harvard University pays me for doing something for which I would gladly pay the University for the privilege of doing." "Such an attitude is the priceless achievement of the true artist," said Dr. Bagley.

The determination of who our teachers are, their preparation and all facts relative to the teaching work — all this has caused the Carnegie Foundation to begin its work. Here Mr. Bagley explained that this work was not an investigation but was done with the de-

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1915.

As The Courier Sees You.

We are receiving many more exchanges this year than last and extend a hearty welcome to all.

The Westminster Fortnightly, Fulton, Mo.—We are well impressed with your school spirit as exhibited in your last two numbers.

The College Coyote, Caldwell, Idaho.—Your paper is well organized. You take into consideration the different interests of your readers.

The Optimist, Canton, Mo.—You have a well organized magazine. A few cuts would add much to it.

Southwest Standard, Springfield, Mo.—We welcome this paper from our "Twin Sister." We like the idea you are using in taking different subjects for your exchange articles.

The Central Collegian, Fayette, Mo.—You have a good paper, but we would like to see some cuts.

The Capaha Arrow, Cape Girardeau, Mo.—Your Home Economics number is both interesting and instructive.

High School Forum, St. Joseph, Mo.—Your magazine has a very attractive cover. We are pleased to see the foreign language department in your paper.

Central Wesleyan Star, Warrenton, Mo.—Your paper is good but why not improve it with a few cuts?

Shamokin High School Review, Shamokin, Pa.—We are well pleased with the Review. It is one of the best exchanges we have received.

The following is a list of our exchanges:
Capaha Arrow, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Central Collegian, Fayette, Mo.
Central Wesleyan Star, Warrenton, Mo.

College Coyote, Caldwell, Idaho.
College Farmer, Columbia, Mo.
High School Forum, St. Joseph, Mo.
Joplin High School Echoes, Joplin, Mo.

K. I. Review, Kidder, Mo.
Normal School Index, Kirksville, Mo.
Normal Student, Warrensburg, Mo.
Optimist, Canton, Mo.
Park Stylus, Parkville, Mo.
Phoenix, Tarkio, Mo.
Rural School Messenger, Kirksville, Mo.

Shamokin High School Review, Shamokin, Pa.

Silver and Gold, Boulder, Colo.
Southwest Standard, Springfield, Mo.
Westminster Fortnightly, Fulton, Mo.
Westport Crier, Kansas City, Mo.

Mr. Cox Talks at Y. W.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox of the First M. E. church, gave a talk at the meeting of the Y. W. C. A. on Wednesday, December 8. Mr. Cox took as his theme the passage of scripture, "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." He gave a slightly different translation of the verse — "A righteous man availeth much in prayer." Mr. Cox discussed the increased use of prayer in the present day churches, and its importance in every Christian life. The prayers of Christ were suggested as examples of the truest and best type of prayer, and of persistence and earnestness.

Mr. Cox suggested the thought, "Thy will be done," as the great principle of Christian prayer. He emphasized the value of stopping in the bustle and hurry of life to pray. He closed by giving illustrations of prayer among our great statesmen, George Washington, McKinley and Woodrow Wilson.

Former Students Marry.

Miss Caroline Abplanalp and Dennis W. Parman, both former Normal students, were united in marriage Sunday December 5, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Abplanalp. The young couple will make their home on a farm by the groom's father, north of Albany.

Miss Caudle Injured.

Miss Lelah Caudle, a former Normal student, came to Maryville, Saturday, December 4, where her injured arm was examined under the X-ray by Dr. Wallis. A small bone was found to be dislocated. Since it was re-set her arm is improving rapidly.

Earl C. Borchers spent Saturday and Sunday, December 4 and 5 with relatives near Rosendale.

Misses Helen and Mildred Wamsley went to their home near Arkoe Friday evening, December 10, for a short visit.

Hubert Garret left for his home in Clearmont Friday, December 10, to visit his parents.

Lowell L. Livengood was the guest of friends in Pattonsburg, December 4 and 5.

The Philo Christmas Program.

The Philomathean Literary Society gave a Christmas program at their regular meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 16. A reading, "The Christ Child," was given by Miss Elizabeth Hoover. The next number was a solo, "Star of Bethlehem," by Miss Ilene Kemp. The Philo quartet, Misses Ilene Kemp, Ora Quinn and William Utter and Edgar Hull, sang "Silent Night." "Christmas Celebrations in Mexico," were described by William Utter. Mr. Utter said that the Mexicans begin their Christmas festivities on December 16. They continue until Christmas evening. Each family has a number of clay dolls, containing a small vase filled with candy and confetti. A most enjoyable event of their Christmas festivities comes in the breaking of the vases by one of the family who is blindfolded, and the ensuing scramble for the candy. Mr. Utter closed by singing two Mexican songs which the audience heartily applauded. The quartet then gave the selection, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

The evening entertainment was completed by a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus. Santa announced that the fame of the Philos had spread to the North Pole and Mrs. Santa had become so interested that she wanted to come with him. Each Philo received a gift from the Christmas stocking, which was hung before the fireplace, after which Mr. and Mrs. Santa departed wishing every Philo a Merry Christmas.

New School Song.

(Tune—Orange and the Black)
'Tho we come from noisy cities,
Or quiet country plains,
From breezy western grain fields,
Or sunny southern lanes,
Yet we're one in that and spirit
Like brothers close are we,
And each will help his neighbor
In finest loyalty.

Our Alma Mater's glory
To give us joy to tell
And we pledge our heart's allegiance
To the school we love so well.
In every game or contest
For laurels we will strive,
And hope to win new honors
For our dear old Number Five.

When we launched on life's voyage
'Neath lowering skies or clear,
We ever shall be eager
To call back memories dear
Of our joyous, busy schooldays
And our spirit will grow light
When we think of Normal colors
Of the dear old Green and White.

Miss Winn Hears Dr. Griggs.

Miss Beatrix Winn went to St. Joseph Friday night, December 3 and heard Dr. Edward Howard Griggs give his lecture on "Dante's Purgatory." On Saturday Miss Winn went to Richmond, Missouri, and visited Mrs. Merton Watkins, formerly Miss Alma Hotchkiss.

Oscar Lollis, who has been ill for several days, left for his home in St. Joseph, Friday, December 10.

Something New.

It was announced early in the week that a special program would be given during assembly period Thursday, Dec. 16. Students decided that the program was to be given by the Eurekans for they were having special meetings and too, they seemed to be working on something. This decision was correct.

Miss Emma Hardin, president of the Eurekan Literary Society announced as the first number a chorus—the Society song—which was composed by members of the society. Lowell L. Livengood then gave an oration "National Prohibition." After such a weighty subject the audience was entertained by Gerald Shirkey with his "Hat-rack Solo." He generously responded with an encore. "Shad's Story of the Goose," a story in negro dialect was told by Miss Sobbing.

Miss Olivette Godsey entertained the students with a pianolog, "That Old Sweet heart of Mine."

The sixth number was a six-act drama entitled "The American Flag." Chas. M. McReynolds as manager introduced the characters:

Lowell L. Livengood.....Gen. Washington
Verne Pickens.....Colonel
Lisle Hanna.....Lieutenant
Gerald Shirkey.....Captain
Harold Sawyers.....Sergeant
Eugene Allison.....Private and the whole army.

Vella Booth.....Betsy Ross

Act by act the word was taken to General Washington that the army was without a flag. General Washington went to Betsy Ross with the question. She solved it by making a flag. The flag, a red bandana was shown in the final parade.

The closing number was a school song, "The Green and White" by the Eurekan Octette. The song, composed by members of the society was then presented to the school as a school song by Miss Hardin.

The audience was interested throughout the hour for the program was considered intensely interesting.

Philomathean Literary Society.

Christmas Program.

December 16, 1915.

Christmas Reading.....Elizabeth Hoover
National Christmas Songs—

Edgar Hull, Bernice Snelling, William Utter, Ora Quinn, Bruce Wilkerson, Ilene Kemp.

Opening of the Philo Christmas Stocking.....Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus

Eurekan Literary Program.

Solo.....Mary Sewell
Debate—Subject selected—
Affirmative,

Frank Cooper, Anna Wells.

Negative,

Harold Sawyers, Elizabeth Sobbing
Chapter II of Continued Story—
Hazel Wallace.

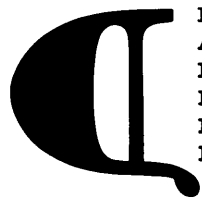
Miss Estella Kiskaidon spent the week-end, December 4 and 5 at her home in Hopkins.

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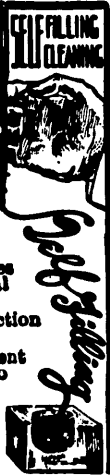
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Miss Elva Heflin and Vern Heflin
visited in Maryville Friday and Satur-
day, December 10 and 11, the guest of
Miss Vida Heflin.

Elmer Grier of Gower, visited in
Maryville, December 3 and 4.

Miss Lena Costello of McFall arrived
in Maryville Friday, December 10, to
visit her sisters, Erma and Edith, who
are attending the Normal.

Miss Lucy Crockett spent the week-
end, December 10, with her parents in
Stanberry.

Wood Adams, who has been ill the
past week is now able to be in school
again.

George W. Somerville, principal of
the Clearmont schools, was in Maryville
Saturday, December 11.

Dinner at Davis Home.

S. E. Davis, head of the Educa-
tion department of the Normal, and his
wife entertained at six o'clock dinner
Thursday, December 9, in honor of Dr.
W. C. Bagley. Br. Bagley was here in
the interest of the Carnegie Foundation
for the investigation of teachers. The
guests at dinner were: President Rich-
ardson, Dean G. H. Colbert, and Messrs.
Walter Hanson, H. B. Schuler, A. H.
Cauffield and George Palfreyman.

"Enoch Arden," Depicted by Movies.

A large number of the Normal stu-
dents attended the Fern theatre Tues-
day night, December 7, for the purpose
of seeing Tennyson's well known poem,
"Enoch Arden," dramatized by the
"movies." The pictures were real
and true to life, the scenery beautiful,
and all report a pleasant time.

Normal Quartet Sings at Empire

The Normal male quartet sang at
the band concert in the Empire Sun-
day afternoon, December 5. The se-
lections were "Merrily Goes our Bark,"
by Leslie, and "Who Built the Ark?"
as an encore. The members of the
quartet are Gerald Shirkey, Harold
Staples, Wm. Utter and Edgar Hull.

The union of Young People's Soci-
eties gave a social to the young people
of the town last Thursday evening,
December 9. As the guests entered each
one was given a paper sack and was
told to put it on his hand and to
"shake" 'till he had worn out the sack.
Miss Mary Lewis was in charge of ac-
tivities, and she kept things moving.
Refreshments were served. About one
hundred and fifty were present.

Graduate of 1914 Goes to Colorado.

Miss Arlie Hulet, '14, has accepted
a position in the intermediate depart-
ment of the school in Hastings, Colo-
rado. Miss Hulet has been taking work
this year for the 90-hour diploma. The
school organizations regret to lose such
an active worker as Miss Hulet. She
left Monday to take up her work.

Victrola Demonstration Given.

Miss Blanche Sorenson visited the
Normal school Wednesday, December 8,
in the interest of the Victor Talking
Machine company. Miss Sorenson gave
a demonstration in the Training School
assembly, showing the use of the vic-
trola in the public schools, especially
as an aid to musical appreciation.

Theatre Party See "Enoch Arden."

Miss Myrta Day gave a theatre party
Tuesday, December 7, in honor of her
nephew, Mr. Harris of Curryville, Ia.
The party attended the dramatization
of "Enoch Arden," and afterward ac-
companied Mr. Harris to the depot.

Misses Ruth Wilson and Amy Boat-
wright, two of Number Five's former
students were in Maryville Saturday,
visiting friends and doing their Christ-
mas shopping. These young ladies both
teach in the rural schools of Nodaway
county.

Miss Lillie Hall was the guest of
Miss Mildred Garard in Pattonsburg,
Sunday, December 12.

Philo Notes.

The Philos held their last meeting of
the Fall quarter, Thursday, December
2. During the business session the new
officers were elected, as follows: pres-
ident, William Utter; vice-president,
Edna Younger; secretary, Violet Pence;
treasurer, Warren Breit; sergeant-at-
arms, Bruce Kilkerson. Plans for the
work of the winter term were discussed
and more will be heard from the Philos
in the near future.

Y. W. C. A. Tea.

The Y. W. C. A. gave a tea Wednes-
day afternoon, December 8, in the
reception room, from 2 to 5 o'clock.
An invitation was extended to the fac-
ulty and the entire student body, a
large number of whom attended.

Tea and wafers were served by Miss
Ivah Barnes, president of the associa-
tion, assisted by Misses Dona Peter,
Blanche Daise, Faye and Effie Wilson,
Lucile Snowberger, Arlie Hulet, Myrta
Day.

Several victrola numbers were given
by Miss Olivette Godsey.

The association has planned a series
of similar functions to be given during
the year.

Trego School Approved.

The Trego school, near Graham, was
put on the approved list by Bert Cooper
county superintendent of schools, this
week. Opha M. Crawford a former
student at Number Five is teaching
his third term at that place.

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militarism."

In the course of his lecture Dr. Evans touched upon some of the great problems with which the United States is confronted at the present time. Some of them are: The Immigration question; The Negro question; Child labor; Bribery and Political corruption.

There was just enough humor in his lecture to keep the faces of the entire audience bright and sunny during the two hours that Mr. Evans was speaking, and the humor was used so skillfully as to fit into the address naturally.

This is the second number on the Maryville Lyceum Course. The next number will be a concert on the evening of January 20.

Playground Class Organized.

A course in playground work is being given this quarter, under the direction of Miss Mary Boggs, Walter Hanson and George Palfreyman, instructors in Physical Education. Types of games for the various grades beginning with the Kindergarten, are played, including dramatic, gymnastic and singing games.

The course also includes lectures upon the value of play in the life of the child, and the application of these prin-

ciples to city playgrounds and rural schools.

The work is made more practical by giving each member of the class charge of a group of Training School pupils, each noon for a week.

Seventy-three students are enrolled in the class this quarter. This is one of the required courses in physical education and is open to both men and women.

NEW TERM BEGINS.

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and play, with equal enthusiasm. This is our school and it will be just what we make it. We alone can spread the fame of the Fifth District Normal School, not only over this district but over the entire state.—Lucile Snowberger.

STAR WORKERS IN BASKETBALL.

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return from the Christmas holidays a few days in advance of the student body. The athletic director will employ this time in conditioning the players and in making final arrangements for the opening of the season.

New Y. W. President.

Miss Elizabeth Hoover was elected "acting president" of the Y. W. C. A., Wednesday, December 8, to fill the vacancy caused by the absence of the president, Miss Ivah Barnes. Miss Barnes will not be in school during the winter quarter, but will return in the spring to complete her work for the 60-hour diploma.

Girl's Basketball Game.

While the attention concerning athletics has been centered upon the boys basketball teams, especially the first squad, the girls have not been idle. A group of them have been doing some strenuous practicing in the west gymnasium while the boys play the exciting tournament games, before a crowd of interested spectators. However, the girls are going to show the results of their work and you will miss a good game if you are not in the gymnasium next Tuesday evening, December 21, at 4:15. At that time the girls will play a game open to the faculty and student body.

Immediately after Christmas a tour-

nament will be organized in which three teams will participate.

DR. BAGLEY HERE.

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sire of getting accurate data.

"All citizens should be interested in a few facts concerning the body of teachers in the United States — a body as large as the population of a city the size of Detroit. One fourth of this number, or 125,000 are under twenty-one years of age. That means that three or four million American boys and girls get all their formal education from teachers who are scarcely more than boys and girls themselves. One half of the number or 250,000 are under twenty-five years of age. If we classify the teachers by preparation we find that one half have only a high school education, or less.

"Another intensely interesting fact is that at least half of our teachers come from relatively large families, whose income is \$800 a year or less. That means they are unable financially to get more training."

Dr. Bagley said that the government pays for the training of men to protect our country. "As rigorous and thorough a training should be exacted of the Normal student as is required for the West Point cadet. The individual must be given the attitude of asking not primarily what good he or she will get from a thing, but what good may he or she be able to do society, the state and the people by having that thing."

Prof. Miller Talks to Y. W.

Prof. Harry A. Miller talked to the young ladies of the school at the Y. W. meeting Tuesday morning, December 14.

"For ordinary laymen for ordinary persons and for the person who is not a Christian the sayings and philosophy of Christ are wonderful. To the believer they are wonderful. In his sermon on the mount is recorded all we need by which to live."

The statement from the Bible "Ye are the salt of the earth," was the text used by Mr. Miller. When this was spoken it was spoken to the hearts and consciences of men. This was a tropical climate and was in great demand for preserving purposes.

He gave four topics of importance in developing the text 1. Salt as an antiseptic retards putrefaction and decay. 2. Salt purifies what is already impure. 3. It is pungent. 4. Salt sweetens.

"As Christians," said Mr. Miller, "we should arrest decay in business, social and religious life. The influence of the Christian man and woman is shown in society. The Christian life is always inspiring and never tiring.

"The Christian thought sweetens our lives."

These thoughts which Mr. Miller brought to the young women are worthy of contemplation.

Miss Ivah Barnes went to her home in Bolekow, Friday, December 10.

Miss Pauline Turner, who has been ill with tonsillitis, is in school again.

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